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TO AMEMBASSY ROME

AMCONSUL BOMBAY

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAIR, ASAF

SUBJECT: REPORTED ATTEMPTED AIRCRAFT HIJACKING

REF: STATE A-3973 MAY 16, 1974

1. US NEWS MEDIA REPORTED THAT A MAN ATTEMPTED HIJACK  
AIR INDIA FLT 605 ENROUTE ROME FROM BEIRUT ON 25  
DECEMBER. HIJACKER WHO HAD BOARDED IN BOMBAY WAS OVER-  
POWERED BY CREWMEMBERS AFTER HE ATTEMPTED TO FORCE PILOT  
TO CRASHDIVE INTO ROME.

2. FAA INTERESTED IN DETAILS ALL HIJACKING INCIDENTS  
AND WOULD APPRECIATE POST CABLING READILY AVAILABLE  
INFORMATION ON INCIDENT USING REFAIR AS GUIDE IF  
APPROPRIATE. KISSINGER

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